

[English]

Typhoid

3374. SHRI VIJAY PATEL : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government are aware that number of Typhoid deaths are still quite high;

(b) if so, the details thereof during the last three years, State-wise; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to control typhoid?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SALEEM IQBAL SHERVANI) : (a) and (b) A statement showing State/UT-wise reported number of deaths (provisional) due to Enteric Fever (a broad term which includes Typhoid) during the last 3 years is enclosed.

(c) The current Government efforts concentrate on :

(i) Improvement of water supply and sanitation both in Urban and rural areas;

(ii) An IEC Plan to educate the general public in regard to :

A. Purification of water at home.

B. Improvement in and maintenance of a high level of personal hygiene.

Statement**Enteric Fever During the Last 3 Years (Provisional)**

No. of Deaths	Name of State/UT		
	1994	1995	1996
1	2	3	4
Andhra Pradesh	32	51	33
Arunachal Pradesh	0	23	2
Assam	—	—	—
Bihar	—	—	—
Goa	0	0	0
Gujarat	20	11	6
Haryana	11	1	3
Himachal Pradesh	4	3	2
Jammu and Kashmir	0	0	0
Karnataka	20	14	12
Kerala	8	2	2
Madhya Pradesh	38	53	150
Maharashtra	57	42	8
Manipur	0	0	0
Meghalaya	0	0	0
Mizoram	0	2	0
Nagaland	1	7	0

1	2	3	4
Orissa	37	21	18
Punjab	0	4	0
Rajasthan	29	11	4
Sikkim	—	—	—
Tamil Nadu	14	5	9
Tripura	4	0	0
Uttar Pradesh	27	—	67
West Bengal	46	—	—
A and N Island	4	1	0
Chandigarh	—	—	—
D and N Haveli	0	1	6
Daman and Diu	0	2	0
Delhi	20	30	4
Lakshadweep	0	0	0
Pondicherry	0	4	1
Total	372	288	327

— Not Reported.

Effect of Floride Toxity

3375. SHRI YELLAIAH NANDI : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) the States affected due to floride toxity;

(b) the details of affected areas, particularly in Andhra Pradesh; and

(c) the measures undertaken by the Government to save public and cattle in areas affected from floride toxity in general and particularly in Andhra Pradesh during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SALEEM IQBAL SHERVANI) : (a) The following States are endemic for fluorosis :

1. Andhra Pradesh
2. Rajasthan
3. Gujarat
4. Karnataka
5. Tamil Nadu
6. Maharashtra
7. Madhya Pradesh
8. Uttar Pradesh
9. Haryana
10. Punjab
11. Bihar
12. Orissa
13. Kerala
14. Jammu and Kashmir
15. Delhi